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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

THOMPSON et al.

Serial No.: 08/482,283

Filed: June 7, 1995

For: NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING  
INTERLEUKIN-1 RECEPTOR  
ANTAGONISTS

Group Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: Spector, L.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT (MARCH 5, 2002)

Applicants request that the Examiner not enter the Supplemental Amendment (March 1, 2002), which was filed by facsimile on March 1, 2002, and request entry of the following amendments prior to action by the Examiner. Please charge the extra claims fee of \$1,548.00 for 86 extra claims to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

41. (Amended) An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleic acid sequence encoding an interleukin-1 inhibitor (IL-1i) polypeptide, having interleukin-1 (IL-1) inhibitory activity, wherein said polypeptide is selected from the group consisting of:

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